



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Commissioner for Patents
United States Patent and Trademark Office
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
www.uspto.gov

DAVID M. ROSENBLATT, ESQ.
THE THOMSON CORPORATION
METRO CENTER, ONE STATION PLACE
STAMFORD CT 06902

COPY MAILED

JAN 25 2006

OFFICE OF PETITIONS

In re Application of :
Weinstein et al. :
Application No. 08/863,037 :
Filed: May 23, 1997 :
Attorney Docket No. 01985-P0032A :

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b), filed December 14, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The petition satisfies the conditions for revival pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that (1) the reply in the form of an RCE (with requisite fee) and an amendment; (2) the petition fee; and (3) the required statement of unintentional delay have been received. Accordingly, the response has been accepted as having been unintentionally delayed.

This matter is being referred to Technology Center 2100 for processing of the Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR 1.114 filed with the instant petition.

Telephone inquiries regarding this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3282.

Liana Chase
Petitions Examiner
Office of Petitions